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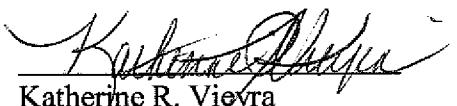
Sir:

Applicants have filed this Amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in reply to the outstanding Official Action dated November 10, 2010, and believe the Amendment to be fully responsive to the Official Action for reasons set forth below. Favorable reconsideration and withdrawal of all rejections is kindly requested in light of the following amendments and accompanying remarks. Please amend the Application as follows.

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